(*b*) if so, the attitude of this Government in respect of reference of the dispute to the panel set up by the National Integration Council;

(*c*) whether the Central Government is considering a proposal for holding a public opinion poll to resolve the border dispute between these two States;

(*d*) whether the proposal for conducting an opinion poll has been brought to the notice of the State Government;

(*e*) if so, the views of the State Government in respect of opinion poll on border issues ?

A.—Sri VEERENDRA PATIL (Chief Minister).—

(*a*) No.

(*b*) The Chief Minister has made it clear at the National Integration Council Meeting held in June 1968 that disputes in which High placed Judicial Commissions had already examined the issues and given their findings should not be referred to the proposed new Machinery and the Prime Minister has conceded that the Mahajan Commission's findings on Mysore-Maharashtra and Mysore-Kerala boundary dispute had already been received and were under consideration with the Government of India.

(*c*) Though some Newspaper reports have referred to alleged proposals of this kind, no communication has been received from the Central Government till now.

(*d*) Though some Newspaper reports have referred to alleged proposals of this kind, no communication has been received from the Central Government till now.

(*e*) The question does not arise in view of answers to questions (*c*) and (*d*) above.

Construction of a Stadium in Tumkur Town

56. Sri B. P. GANGADHAR (Tumkur).—

Will the Minister for Education be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether it is not a fact that construction of a stadium at Tumkur Town is long pending;

(*b*) whether Government has decided to construct a stadium at Balanakatte in Tumkur Town;

(*c*) if so, the stage at which the matter is pending;

(*d*) the reasons for the delay in expediting the construction of stadium in spite of repeated demands and long pending agitation of the public;

(*e*) within what time the work would be taken up and finished ?

A.— Sri K. V. SHANKARA GOWDA (Minister for Education).—

(*a*) The Tumkur Municipality had a proposal for constructing a Stadium at Tumkur since 1959.

(*b*) to (*e*) This is not a Government Stadium. The Municipality requires financial assistance from the Government of India and the State Government had recommended the same. The Government of India have in January 1968 requested the President, Town Municipal Council, Tumkur to give certain undertakings.

No reply appears to have been given to the Government of India by the Municipal Council, Tumkur agreeing to the condition stipulated.

Mahajan Commission's Report

57. Sri B. M. SANIKOP (Kittur).—

Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state :—

whether the Chief Minister would bring pressure on the Central Government to take immediate action in respect of Mahajan Committee Report as resolved by the State Government ?

A.—Sri VEERENDRA PATIL (Chief Minister).—

The Government of India have already been addressed and requested to take action to implement the findings of the Mahajan Commission without delay.

Printing of Counterfeit Currency Notes

58. Sri C. M. S. SASTRY (Chickmagalur).—

Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether it has come to the notice of Government that printing of currency notes has become a home industry in the State ;

(*b*) whether it has come to the notice of Government that on account of its enormous magnitude, it has not been possible to check it ;

(*c*) whether Government have taken any steps to arrest this ;

(*d*) if so, the place where it has been unearthed and deterrent punishment inflicted ?